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For :	METHOD AND DEVICE FOR CONTROLLING DATA PACKET TRAFFIC AT THE INPUT OF A NETWORK, AND CORRESPONDING COMPUTER PROGRAM AND NETWORK EQUIPMENT	Examiner: Candal Eplenord
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AMENDMENT

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This is in response to the Office Action dated October 28, 2008. Please amend the above-identified application as follows: